

MEXICANS HOLD  
CONSUL IN JAILSecretary Bryan Insists on Mr.  
Silliman's Release.

## NEWS FROM ADMIRAL MAYO

American Naval Officer Cables That Mexican Keepers Deserted the Great Lighthouse on Lobos Island and That the Tender Dixie Is Maintaining It for the Benefit of Navigation.

Washington, May 12.—While peace negotiations marked time pending formal sittings of the South American mediators to begin Monday on Canadian soil the mediators and officials of the state department here were occupied with several serious phases of the Mexican situation demanding immediate attention.

Secretary Bryan called at the Argentine legation and spent two hours in conference with the South American envoys, discussing the continued detention of John R. Silliman, American vice consul at Saltillo, by Mexican federalists, the seizure of Lobos island with its lighthouse by American torpedo boats and the case of the five South Americans under arrest at Vera Cruz for firing upon United States sailors and marines.

Mr. Bryan insisted that the release of Mr. Silliman must be brought about at once. When asked about the matter later he would not say what would happen if the vice consul were kept in prison, but he was gravely emphatic in announcing the government's determination to have him freed.

First official news of the landing of American sailors on Lobos island reached the navy department. Rear Admiral Mayo cabled that the American keepers deserted the great lighthouse on the island and the destroyer tender Dixie is "maintaining it for the benefit of navigation."

## Report From Admiral Mayo.

Admiral Mayo's report, responding to the navy department's request for immediate information concerning the incident complained of by the Huerta government to the mediators, said: "Lobos island has not been occupied. The Dixie and some destroyers have coaled there from a collier. The keepers of Lobos island light deserted it and the Dixie is now maintaining it for the benefit of navigation. I understand that the destroyers have had occasional swimming parties ashore."

The report was sent at once to Secretary Bryan. Department officials were confident that the explanation will make it plain that there has been no violation of the armistice and that the commander of the Dixie has done only what was necessary to insure the safety of shipping.

Authorities here are provoked at belated reports that American Vice Consul Silliman is imprisoned by Huerta's soldiers at Saltillo. From Tampico, where Mexican federalists and Constitutionalists have been preparing for a sanguinary struggle, came rumblings of battle, while reports that Huerta's strength is waning in Mexico City and that the bandit leader Zapata is about to attack the capital from the south served to arouse diplomatic agents of foreign nations lest their people in Mexico City might be in immediate danger of persecution or death.

## Officials Are Indignant.

State department officials were indignant when it became known that Vice Consul Silliman and Jose A. Marchant, his clerk, as well as several other Americans, have been prisoners of the federal commander at Saltillo and that the consul still is held despite urgent representations for his release made by the Brazilian minister in Mexico City. Late dispatches were accepted as indicating that the Mexican war minister's assurances to the French charge last week that neither Consul Silliman or any member of the embassy staff or any Americans in Saltillo "had been in danger" was intended only to deceive state department officials.

Later Consul Canada reported the arrival of Consul Clerk Marchant in Vera Cruz. The clerk informed Mr. Canada that before he was released from custody of the Mexicans he was marched under guard from the jail to the consulate and compelled at the point of a revolver to open the safe and surrender to the federal commander all the consular records and all valuables, including money and a quantity of jewelry left there for safe keeping.

It is not known here how many Americans were imprisoned, but word was received that all have been released except Consul Silliman.

## EXPLOSION ON LINER FATAL

One Man Is Killed and Seven Others Seriously Injured.

Norfolk, Va., May 12.—An explosion in the engine room on the Old Dominion steamship Jefferson caused the death of one man and serious injury to seven others, according to meager reports received here. The dead man was a water tender, whose name could not be learned. Chief Engineer Portlock and six other members of the engine room crew were injured.

SEVERE STORM  
IN WISCONSINAt Least Four Persons Killed  
and Fifteen Injured.

## PROPERTY LOSS ENORMOUS

Much of the Damage Occurs in Dane, Rock and Racine Counties—Heaviest Loss Occurs in the Tobacco Beds, Where the New Leaf Was Just Coming From the Ground.

Milwaukee, May 12.—Four persons are known to have been killed, at least fifteen were injured and damage to property is estimated at more than \$1,000,000 as the result of one of the most severe storms in the state's history, which swept over Southeastern Wisconsin. The storm was almost cyclonic in proportion and swept down buildings and trees with terrific force.

The dead are:  
Mrs. Lena Olson Klevinville, employee of the Dane county poor farm at Verona.

Harvey Sjobom, killed by flying timber at Stouten.

Layman Frederickson, four years old, killed by lightning while playing in a barn at Oregon, Dane county.

William Post, struck by lightning at Westport, Dane county.

Much of the damage was in Dane county, south of Madison, the state capital, which escaped damage. Northern Rock and Racine counties and others also suffered. Only vague reports come from the southwest, where telephone and telegraph wires have been torn down.

## Fireman Hurled Twenty Feet.

Four persons were injured when the laundry at the poor farm at Verona was demolished. Harry Bennett, a fireman at La Crosse, was hurled twenty feet by a bolt of lightning which struck the Riverside box factory. He is paralyzed, but physicians say he will recover.

The heaviest financial damage was done in the tobacco beds in Rock and Dane counties, where the new leaf was just coming from the ground. Tobacco warehouses, great frame sheds at Stouten, Oregon and Verona, were nearly all destroyed. Lightning struck school houses at McFarland, Dane county, and at Racine, causing panics in which school children were injured.

In the neighborhood near Stouten the storm included a path three miles wide. Every silo, windmill and tobacco warehouse was demolished.

Seven barns were destroyed by lightning near Waukesha, with losses ranging from \$2,000 to \$5,000 each.

It is estimated that fifty silos and barns were blown down or destroyed by lightning and fire in Jefferson county. Ten persons were injured in different parts of the county.

A huge wave, five feet high, rolled in from the lake at Racine and flooded the harbor, carrying several fishing tugs high on to the docks.

## ORDERS A GENERAL LOCKOUT

San Francisco Builders Will Fight  
Labor Unions.

San Francisco, May 12.—A general lockout in the building trades industry in San Francisco was ordered by the Building Trades Employers' association. This action was caused by refusal of union painters to call off a strike for higher wages current for a month. About 25,000 men are affected.

It is believed the lockout will affect every union building mechanic in this vicinity and that building operations will be brought to a standstill. It will not, however, affect work on the structures of the Panama-Pacific exposition.

P. H. McCarthy, president of the Building Trades council, said that, while union men deplored the lockout, they were "prepared to meet the emergency." An increase of 50 cents was asked.

## SOLDIERS' QUARREL FATAL

One Negro Cavalryman Fatally Shoots  
Another.

Yuma, Ariz., May 12.—Jesse Britton and Thomas R. Alexander, negro members of Troop C, Tenth United States cavalry, quarreled in camp near here. Alexander died two hours later from a gunshot wound in the back. Britton was placed in the county jail.

## QUAKE DEATH LIST IS 200

Percentage Said to Be Highest Ever  
Recorded.

Catania, Sicily, May 12.—The official estimate of the dead as a result of the recent earthquake which destroyed many villages on the eastern slope of Mount Etna places the number at close to 200. This is said to be the largest percentage ever recorded, considering the smallness of the area affected.

## N. O'SHAUGHNESSY.

New Picture of Former  
American Envoy to Mexico.

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## CARRY OUT THEIR THREATS

Mexican Bandits Begin to Destroy  
Windmills.

El Paso, Tex., May 12.—The bandits under Rodrigo Quevedo, near the United States border, have begun to carry out their threats to destroy the windmills on the property of three large North Mexican ranches owned by American interests.

Word was received by officials of a land and cattle company that a number of their windmills were destroyed. The company is moving cattle valued at \$500,000 into the United States as rapidly as possible, for if all the windmills are destroyed the cattle face death from thirst.

PRESIDENT WILSON  
DEEPLY TOUCHEDPays Tribute to Victims of  
Snipers at Vera Cruz.

New York, May 12.—During the exercises in Brooklyn navy yard, when city and nation joined in tribute to the victims of the snipers at Vera Cruz, the oppressive heat proved too much for several spectators, who fainted and had to be carried away on stretchers. One marine was among them.

In the stand with the president at the navy yard were relatives of the dead sailors and marines, mothers, sisters and wives—but in all the throng of mourners none seemed more deeply touched by the spirit of the day than the man whose word sent the lads of the navy to fight for their country's honor at Vera Cruz.

To the president was left the privilege of voicing the nation's grief and the nation's belief that those who died in the performance of duty had done for their country a service not to be measured by their individual deeds.

"The feeling that is uppermost," he said, "is one of profound grief and yet there is mixed with that grief a profound pride that they should have gone as they did, and if I may say it out of my heart, a touch of envy of those who were permitted so quietly, so nobly to do their duty."

The head of the nation looked out over the thousands massed about the coffins on the parade ground and his voice shook with emotion as he declared his creed:

"We have gone down to Mexico," he said, "to serve mankind if we can find out a way. We do not want to fight the Mexicans. We want to serve the Mexicans."

## MEXICAN PRISONERS UNRULY

One Shoots Soldier and Another Com-  
mits Murder.

Gallup, N. M., May 12.—Details of unrest of Mexican prisoners at Fort Wingate, eleven miles east of here, which led up to the surrounding of the camp with nearly all the troops of the command Saturday, reached here. One of the soldiers on guard was shot through the arm by an unseen assailant. One of the prisoners killed another, first knocking him down and then dropping a heavy rock on his antagonist's head.

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LIVE STOCK KILLED  
IN IOWA TORNADO.

Davenport, Ia., May 12.—Live stock was killed, orchards were uprooted, roofs were torn from houses and losses of thousands of dollars were caused by a tornado which swept across the state.

## Song Writer Dead.

New York, May 12.—Arthur Gillespie, who wrote "Absence Makes the Heart Grow Fonder" and other songs almost as popular, died of pneumonia here. He was forty-six years old. He was the author of the lyrics in the musical comedy, "September Morn."

HEALTH OF MEN  
A WAR PROBLEMClimatic Conditions at Vera  
Cruz Cause Grave Fears.

## ENTIRELY IN THE TROPICS.

In Time of War American Sanitation Experts Would Have Difficulty in Cleaning Up the Place—Much More Perplexing Question Than That Found In Cuba and Panama.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, May 12.—[Special.]—Great anxiety is felt among officials on account of the climatic conditions at Vera Cruz and the probable effect upon the United States sailors and troops sent to that city.

A naval officer of long experience told me that Vera Cruz, being wholly within the tropics, and on account of the great growth of vegetation, was an unhealthy point. He said there was less danger for the men on board ships because the malarial mosquito would not fly far out to sea. This same officer commended the manner in which the naval surgeons had handled the wounded cases, as there had been no losses of wounded men at the time we were talking. Since two deaths have resulted.

Difficult Sanitation.  
Because the United States army cleaned up Santiago and Havana and under the same officers cleaned up Panama and made those places healthy enough for Americans the statement has been made that our sanitation experts in the army will be able to clean up that part of Mexico which will be occupied.

That sounds well, but it must be remembered that Mexico is a much larger proposition than Havana, Santiago or Panama has been. More than that, the United States occupied those three points under peaceful conditions. It was not such warfare as will continue in Mexico when the fighting really begins. There might be sanitation if there were no battles to fight, no wounded to care for and if there were not so many places to be occupied by the army.

Garrison Is Frank.  
Secretary Garrison is frank in answering questions that are put to him during these warlike times, and he is often the subject of searching inquiry by the newspaper men. In one of the statements he gave out he quoted General Funston as saying that there "were many rumors afloat in Vera Cruz."

"Did General Funston tell you what the rumors were?" Garrison was asked.

"He did," was the reply.

"Will you tell us what the rumors were?" was the next question.

"Not a word," was the quick, snappy reply by Secretary Garrison. And the correspondents knew there was no use going further in that direction.

Lectures In the Senate.  
Probably it does not do any good to tell the senate what it is, how negligent it is about its business, how the senators will not listen to long-winded speeches and all that sort of thing. At the same time, it seems to give Senator McCumber a lot of satisfaction to lecture senators up one side and down the other.

For years Senator McCumber has been pushing a bill for a national grain grading law. Many lengthy and elaborate speeches were made upon this subject, both for and against, and when the senate came to a vote the bill was defeated nearly two to one. And the North Dakota senator claimed that senators had not listened to the debates and did not know what they were voting on.

Members of the House Know.

Whenever the attendance in the house dwindles down to a dozen members most everybody knows what has happened. That condition occurred during the consideration of the naval bill and Congressman Goulden of New York explained to somebody who was making a protest:

"The gentleman realizes that there is a baseball game this afternoon."

"The same old crowd is here," remarked Congressman Bartlett of Georgia. "About what we have had for twenty years."

Several members protested against the use of the word "old," showing that they were somewhat sensitive on the subject of age.

Why Members Work.

Many members of the house of representatives were complaining because they did not have clerical hire enough, and this was combated by Chairman Fitzgerald of the appropriations committee. "I undertake to say that a large portion of the strenuous labor indulged in by members of this house—and I speak from an experience of fifteen years—is not because of any compelling public interest. Rather, it is because of the efforts to continue themselves in their present office. We do work long and excessive hours, but it is because we desire to do things to commend ourselves personally, and particularly to our constituents, in the belief that it will strengthen us for re-election. There is no necessity for much of such labor from the standpoint of efficient transaction of public business."

Easy.

Higgs—I never want to see him again. Diggs—That's easily done. Lead him a fever.—London Mirror.

## CHARLES BECKER.

On Trial Second Time  
for Rosenthal Murder.

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## TESTIFY AGAINST BECKER

Five Witnesses Appear to Support  
State's Charge.

New York, May 12.—The prosecution of Charles Becker for the murder of Herman Rosenthal was begun in earnest. Five witnesses were placed on the stand after District Attorney Whitman had told the jury what he expected to prove.

The district attorney told how Rosenthal was killed, named the gunmen who did it and accused Becker of being the "brains" behind the murder conspiracy.

WEALTHIEST CITIZEN  
OF KENTUCKY DEADColonel John C. C. Mayo Worth  
Twenty Millions.

New York, May 12.—Colonel John C. Calhoun Mayo, Democratic national committeeman from Kentucky, died here at the hotel where he had been ill since April 25.

Colonel Mayo was brought here for further treatment after blood transfusion at Cincinnati had failed.

Twenty-five years ago John C. C. Mayo of Paintsville, Ky., was a struggling school teacher in the Eastern Kentucky mountains, but before he was forty-five years old he was the wealthiest citizen of Kentucky, with a fortune conservatively estimated at \$20,000,000. In many respects Mayo was one of the most unique self-made millionaires in the country. His was the first great fortune ever built in Kentucky by a Kentuckian from Kentucky resources only. His fortune grew from the meager earnings he saved from his salary as a country school teacher.

Colonel Mayo was born Sept. 16, 1864, in Johnson county, Kentucky. At an early stage he obtained a certificate to teach. In teaching in various school districts Mayo had gained an intimate knowledge of the mountain country, particularly its mineral and timber resources.

## HENDERSON IS IN THE LEAD

Early Returns Indicate His Nomina-  
tion for Governor of Alabama.

Birmingham, Ala., May 12.—Early returns from the run off Democratic primary election in Alabama indicate the nomination of Charles Henderson of Troy for governor by a majority of more than 10,000 votes over former Governor B. B. Comer. Nomination is equivalent to election.

The Democratic primary was between candidates who led the tickets but failed to get a majority in the primary.

## DECIDES AGAINST SUICIDE

Chicago Prisoner Loses Desire for  
Self-Destruction.

Chicago, May 12.—A prisoner in the municipal court here was cured of his expressed desire to commit suicide when the prosecuting attorney put a loaded revolver in his hands and told him to go outside and carry out his threat.

When given the weapon he weighed it in his hand for a moment and then laid it on the bar before Judge Scully. "I've decided I will live and make a man of myself," he declared.

## NINE-STORY FALL IS FATAL

Life Insurance Man Plunges Down  
Elevator Shaft.

Kansas City, May 12.—Charles H. White, representative here of a Des Moines (Ia.) life insurance company, fell nine stories to death in an elevator shaft in an office building here.

Mr. White's left foot caught as he attempted to enter the car from the ninth floor. The operator lifted the car a little to release him and Mr. White plunged under it to the bottom of the shaft. He is survived by a widow and five children.

ATTACHE'S LIFE  
IN GRAVE PERIL

IN HONOR OF JAMES J. HILL

Professorship at Harvard for Teach-  
ing Railroad.

New York, May 12.—One of the finest tributes ever paid to any man is now being prepared by some of the greatest men in this country for James J. Hill of St. Paul.

A James J. Hill foundation and permanent professorship, to be known as the James J. Hill Professorship on Railroad, will be established in Harvard and the curriculum of that institution will be changed to meet the new study.

The movement has grown out of the gospel preached by Mr. Hill that the rising generation should be taught the vital importance of railroads to the development of the country and the nation. It was Mr. Hill's intention to establish such a foundation, but his friends in New York will now do it in honor of him.

## \$75,000 FOR LOSS OF ARMS

Employee Awarded Biggest Verdict  
Ever Given Workman.

White Plains, N. Y., May 12.—The largest verdict ever awarded to a workman against his employer in the history of the country was given here by a jury when it awarded \$75,000 damages to Oscar Fried against the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company for the loss of two arms.

Fried is thirty years old and an electrician. He touched an uninsulated wire containing 11,000 volts. When several companions ran to his aid they believed he had been electrocuted. Both his arms were burned to a crisp and finally had to be amputated at the shoulder.

## Mexican Murderer Hanged.

Pecos, Tex., May 12.—Leon Cardenas Martinez, a Mexican youth, was hanged here for the murder of Miss Emma Brown, a school teacher, three years ago. The Mexican government had the case carried to the United States supreme court in a vain effort to save Martinez.

## Woman Kills Daughter.

New Philadelphia, O., May 12.—Fearing her own illness would prove fatal and not desiring that her invalid daughter Jessie, eighteen years old, should be left alone, Mrs. John Grimm, murdered the girl, crushing her skull with an axe.

LIVED IN CHICAGO  
SEVENTY-NINE YEARS.

Chicago, May 12.—Daniel E. Healy, who came to Chicago in 1885 and who since the death of Fernando Jones, has been credited with being this city's oldest citizen, died here of apoplexy. Mr. Healy's wife died last week.

## GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, May 11.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, \$1.57½; No. 1 hard, 95½¢; No. 1 Northern, 94½¢; No. 2 Northern, 92½¢. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.57½.

## South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, May 12.—Cattle—Steers, \$6.00@8.50; cows and heifers, \$5.00@7.75; calves, \$5.25@8.50; stockers and feeders, \$4.75@7.75. Hogs—\$8.20@8.30. Sheep—Lambs, \$3.50@7.00; wethers, \$4.50@5.25; ewes, \$2.00@3.00.

## St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, May 12.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$17.00@17.75; No. 1 timothy, \$16.00@16.75; No. 1 clover mixed, \$14.00@14.75; No. 1 mixed, \$14.50@15.25; choice upland \$16.50; No. 1 upland, \$15.50@16.25; No. 1 midland, \$12.50; No. 1 alfalfa, \$17.00@17.75.

## Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, May 12.—Wheat—May, 94½¢; July, 86¼¢@86½¢; Sept., 85@85½¢. Corn—May, 67¼¢; July, 66¢; Sept., 65¼¢. Oats—May, 37¼¢@38¢; July, 37¢; Sept., 35¢@35½¢. Pork—May, \$19.30; July, 19.62; Sept., \$19.75. Butter—26¢. Eggs—17¼¢@18¼¢. Poultry—Hens, 16¢.

## Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 12.—Cattle—Beef, \$7.20@9.50; Texas steers, \$7.10@8.15; Western steers, \$7.10@8.10; stockers and feeders, \$5.60@8.30; cows and heifers, \$3.70@8.60; calves, \$7.00@9.75. Hogs—Light, \$8.20@8.45; mixed, \$8.20@8.45; heavy, \$7.95@8.40; rough, \$7.95@8.10; pigs, \$7.35@8.35. Sheep—Native, \$5.25@5.90; yearlings, \$5.75@6.20; lambs, \$6.25@7.70.

## Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, May 12.—Wheat—May, 90½¢; July, 91¼¢@91½¢; Sept., 87@87½¢. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, 96¼¢; No. 1 Northern, 93¼¢@95¼¢; to arrive, 93¼¢@94¼¢; No. 2 Northern, 91¼¢@93¼¢; No. 3 Northern, 89¼¢@91¼¢; No. 3 yellow corn, 66½¢; to arrive 85@85½¢; No. 4 corn, 64¼¢@66¢; No. 2 white oats, 33¼¢@35¼¢; barley, 55@56¢; rye, 57@58¢; flax, \$1.64@1.67½.

Mexico City Mob Hostile Toward  
American.

## BRAZIL AFFORDS SHELTER

Only United States Representative Left in Mexico City Is Staying at the Brazilian Legation, Where He Is Being Given Protection—Rumor in London Says Rebels Have Taken Tampico.

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London, May 12.—The Daily Chronicle asserts that certain London business houses have received reports that the rebels have captured Tampico.

## Vera Cruz, May 12.—From Mexico

City come late reports of quiet business conditions, but of large numbers of men and boys drifting in the streets. A few nights ago a mob gathered before the Brazilian legation and demanded that Luis d'Antin, an attaché of the American embassy, who had taken refuge there, be delivered over. Threats were made to kill him.

The Brazilian minister notified the state department that he would only surrender d'Antin in case he was overpowered. The antipathy to the attaché is due to the fact that he is the only American official left in the capital and because of his activity in relieving the distress of American non-combatants.

So far as is known no measures have been taken to fortify the capital. At Guadalupe, which is a strategic point on the Mexican railway, entering the city, there are no signs of fortifications.

The federals, however, are taking steps to provision Puebla, about midway between Vera Cruz and the capital, on the line of the Inter-oceanic railway.

## Newspaper Man Missing.

An American named Doster, formerly a correspondent for a New York paper, but lately employed in a bank at the capital, is missing and is supposed to have been imprisoned by the federals. Doster resumed his newspaper work when the other correspondents at Mexico City went to Vera Cruz.

G. E. Williams, accountant, and C. B. Headley, mill foreman of the El Favor Mining company at Hostetiaquillo, in the state of Jalisco, both Americans, were killed by bandits when their camp was attacked recently. Walter Neal, the manager, and another American were slightly wounded, but federal troops arrived in time to save their lives.

Nutter, correspondent of the Boston Herald, and a photographer, who went to Saltillo recently while on the way from Torreon, on General Huerta's invitation, reached Vera Cruz. They had a terrible experience at San Pedro and elsewhere after the rout of the federals at Torreon. They were repeatedly thrown into jail, lost all their possessions and were subjected to many indignities before they made their way to Mexico City and thence here.

## SENTRY SHOTS MEXICAN

Wounded Man Refuses to Halt at  
Command.

Douglas, Ariz., May 12.—Dionicio Acosta, a Mexican, said to be carrying contraband, was shot and seriously wounded here while near the international boundary by Private William Taylor, a sentry of the Ninth cavalry. Acosta refused to halt at the sentry's command. Surgeons say he probably will recover.

According to witnesses of the shooting the Mexican ran for the boundary when ordered to halt and when near the line turned and made a desecrating gesture at Taylor.

## RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

American Association.

Louisville 13, Kansas City 0.

National League.

Philadelphia 2, Brooklyn 1.

New York 8, Boston 6.

St. Louis 5, Chicago 5.

American League.

New York 6, Boston 2.

Philadelphia 8, Washington 4.

Federal League.

Baltimore 4, Buffalo 3.

Indianapolis 4, Kansas City 3.

Pittsburg 2, Brooklyn 0.

Northern League.

Fargo-Moorhead 6, Duluth 2.

Superior 1, Grand Forks 4.

Virginia 4, Winnipeg 1.

## CURTIS H. PETTIT IS DEAD

Pioneer Minneapolis Business Man  
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**Weather**

Reported by Theodore Miller, observer at Brainerd.

May 11, maximum 47.  
May 12, minimum 26.

**THE OPPORTUNITY OFFERED**

The movement on foot for the organization of a society of citizens to band themselves together for the betterment of Brainerd and the up-building of the city affords the opportunity of getting together on a common level for the common good of all. If we wish to move forward and be in the front ranks with the progressive cities of the country it will be necessary to get together and the time to do that very thing is now. The opportunity is offered, the organization is outlined and all that is needed is a long pull and a strong pull all together and the goal will be reached. There may be those who will say "It can't be done" and who will argue that it is a big effort with failure at the end, but the man who puts up that argument will be found to be one of those fellows who has been impeding the wheels of progress these many years, a man who is willing to stand in his back yard and see the procession go by, and not a man who is looking to see the town and county accomplish things. Brainerd has been cursed with this class of argument so long that it has become almost an impossibility to impress the fact that we really need an awakening. If we have a strong civic and commercial organization, one in which all the people take an interest and one in which the confidence of all classes of citizens is vested in five years from today we will look back with wonder upon the time when the people of a city with so many possibilities was divided in opinion and sentiment upon questions vital to the very life and progress of that city, petty jealousy you might call it. Other cities through their civic organizations accomplish things that would not be attempted if the sentiment of the people through their organizations was not back of them. It is impossible to accomplish anything of importance without organization, but that organization must be in tune, in accord, to reach out and grasp the opportunities that present themselves and carry out the details to a successful conclusion.

The meeting at the club rooms in the Iron Exchange building on Monday night showed conclusively that

the organization of a society which will be known as the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce with a united Brainerd behind it is a possibility. It will take quite an effort to put the plans over in one day but the spirit shown indicates that push and vim goes a long way in accomplishing things and that by exerting every ounce of energy great things can be accomplished along this line, and if the people really understand this proposition they will take hold of it in a manner that will astonish some of the skeptical ones. The budget plan, which will be fully explained tonight at the meeting in Gardner auditorium by Mr. Irving, should alone convince those who wish to be shown that no time should be lost in completing the organization, and if you are interested in the welfare of Brainerd come out tonight and listen to Mr. Irving.

Don't be a knocker, that don't get you anything or anywhere.

Be a booster and help put the city in the front ranks of prosperity alongside the other live towns of Minnesota.

There's no discrimination, the rich the poor, the high the low, the farmer and the business man, the mechanic and the day laborer all can become members of this organization, and they are all wanted, and can enjoy the benefits of the club rooms as well as share in the prosperity that the united efforts of such an organization will bring.

Everything along the line of organization will be outlined tonight and the public is invited, it is hoped the hall will be filled to overflowing.

**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**

C. Klasey returned to Barrows today.

H. A. Wilson, of Pequot, was in the city today.

A. A. White returned to St. Paul this afternoon.

Miss Hilma Nygren went to Staples this afternoon.

If you want lots, see Nettleton.

R. K. Whiteley returned from Loersch this noon.

Miss Hattie Hodge, of Barrows, is visiting in the city.

Mrs. Dana Brown is visiting relatives in Little Falls.

B. Magoffin, Jr., of Deerwood, visited Brainerd today.

Special millinery sale all this week at B. Katz & Son.—Adv.

M. G. Millsaugh, of Little Falls, was a Brainerd visitor today.

John Humphrey, of Deerwood, was in the city today on his way to Anoka.

Judge A. R. Holman, of Pequot, was in the city today on legal business.

**HEAR IRVING**

Tuesday, 8 P. M.

**"A BIGGER BRAINERD"**

Gardner Hall

Admission Free

Mrs. W. H. Crowell left for Duluth today to visit the Misses Edith and Ruth Coutu.

Miss Irene Stanfeldt, the sweet singer of the Empress, left today for Louisville, Ky.

Miss Agnes Berthiaume, telephone operator at Deerwood, was a Brainerd visitor today.

Ice cream delivered to any part of city. Turner Bros. 126tf

The Misses McKay, daughter of Neil McKay, of Cross Lake, are Brainerd visitors today.

Robert Elder, of Barrows, is at the Sisters hospital suffering with an attack of rheumatism.

D. R. Elder of St. Paul, and A. J. Elder of Owensboro, Ky., are the guests of their brother, James M. Elder.

Phone 359L for DRY millwood.—Adv.

Mrs. E. J. Dix, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. B. Winslow, returned today to her home in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Templeton, newlyweds, returned last night from an extended honeymoon trip to Nebraska and Kansas.

Mrs. G. W. Chadbourne will entertain the ladies of St. Paul's Episcopal church guild on Wednesday afternoon in the guild rooms.

For SPRING WATER Phone 269R.—Adv.

C. O. Kristensen, the piano polisher and furniture finisher, has returned from Duluth and will be back in business in a few days.

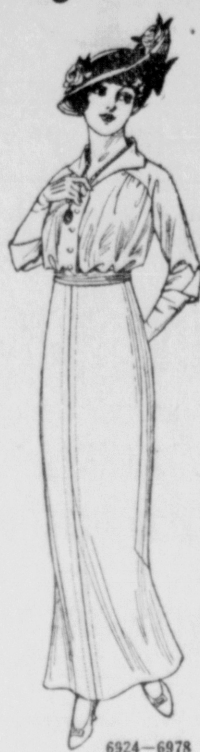
Tom Woods, Fatty for short, is said to contemplate swinging around the vaudeville circuit in old Kentucky within the next few weeks.

We have placed on sale this week all of our \$4, \$5 and \$6 hats at \$2.89. These are all the season's latest showing. B. Katz & Son.

E. W. Crane and daughter, Mrs. C. C. Francisco, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. George McCullough, returned today to their home in Pomeroy, Wash.

The world's finest coffee—McLaughlin's Manor House. 248tf

Oscar Dullum and sister, Mrs. Helmie Aspholm, have gone to Sauk Rapids today to attend the wedding of their brother, John Dullum to Miss Olivia Clifton.

**A Stunning Summer Frock**

ONE of the many inexpensive smart designs from The Butterick Fashion Sheet for June. We have a copy of the Fashion Sheet waiting for you at our Butterick Pattern Department

FREE

Henry Lloyd, associated with J. H. Davison in the Iron Exchange hotel business, has sold his interests to Mr. Davison and the latter is now conducting the hotel.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Orth, 994 Fir St. on Wednesday afternoon, May 13. A large attendance is requested and visitors will be cordially welcomed.

Fresh buttermilk, sweet cream added, the ideal hot weather drink. Farmers' Produce Co.—Adv. 289-1mo

Herb Britton caught a 57 pound muscalonge this week and it required a day to get the whale of a fish home. The head of this leviathan of the Mississippi was on exhibition at the Columbia theatre.

While D. A. Peterson, manager of the Brainerd ball team, was laying out the grounds preparatory to Sunday's game, somebody knocked out a grounder which took Mr. Peterson just below the nose. He fell and took the count.

Robert L. Kellog, of the firm of Parker-Kellog Lumber Co., will make Brainerd his headquarters while the company is having 15,000,000 feet of deadheads sawed up by the Adkins mill in Northeast Brainerd and a new mill being erected on the south side.

The most delicate flavor in coffee—McLaughlin's Manor House. 248tf

Charles S. Biernatzki, business manager of the Mid-West Hotel Reporter, of Omaha, Neb., was in the city today on business and visited the hotels of Brainerd. The last weekly issue of the magazine devoted a page to a criticism of the Iron Exchange hotel menus and said that patrons were getting their money's worth on Sunday when offered 35 items.

The highest degree of perfection—McLaughlin's Manor House Coffee. 248tf

The M. & I. team played fine ball and held the Brainerd city team 2 to 9 up to the seventh inning. The M. & I. battery was McGarry and Quinn. The city team used three pitchers, each three innings, being Budtke, Victor and Alderman. In the eighth inning the M. & I. defense blew up. A home run and errors caused the city team to land a bunch of runs and the game finished 8 to 3 in favor of the city team.

Awings! Awings! D. M. Clark & Co.—Adv. 268tf

Charles Walter Harman, aged 36 years, died Saturday, May 9 at Big Falls, Minn., of rheumatism of the heart. Deceased was born at Champlain, N. Y., coming to Brainerd with his parents in 1882. For the past fourteen years he has been engaged as hoisting engineer in northern Minnesota, which occupation he was following at the time of his death. He leaves to mourn his passing away a father and mother of this city and two brothers, James R. Harman of International Falls and Harry W. Harman of Bemidji, and a sister, Miss Mabel Harman of Brainerd. The funeral services were held Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the residence of his mother, Rev. Benham, of Hubbard, officiating.

Best mixed grass seed, lot of clover. D. M. Clark & Co.—Adv. 268tf d1-w1

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## IRVING LECTURE AT GARDNER HALL

Public Generally is Invited to Hear the Civic Expert Tonight—Meeting Free to all

### MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN BEGINS

Thirty-four Teams Enlisted for Wednesday's Whirlwind Campaign—Whistle to Blow

One of the most important meetings ever held in Brainerd will be held at Gardner hall this Tuesday evening at eight o'clock, May 12 to hear George B. Irving, the great Chicago expert on municipal betterment, civic organizations, etc.

George B. Irving will be the main speaker. He fired the first gun at the Commercial club rooms Monday noon and the effect was quick and decisive. No one can afford to miss such a rare treat and the opportunity to hear such a broad gauge, interesting and impressive speaker who knows his subject and comes on a great mission for the upbuilding of Brainerd.

The meeting is free to all and everybody who has an interest in this goodly city and wants to see it prosper along all lines is cordially invited to attend.

Front seats will be reserved for the ladies of the Musical club and the efficient young ladies of the high school domestic science department who served the noon day lunch so daintily, successfully and satisfactorily.

A special meeting of all workers was called to meet at the Commercial club rooms at 8 o'clock on Monday evening at which time an organization was perfected for a great forward movement on Wednesday.

D. A. Haggard presided at the Monday night meeting and between 75 and 100 workers were present. Thirty-four teams have been selected for the whirlwind campaign. Where single members show up, they are to choose their partners:

1. F. E. Calkins, Chas. Mahlum.
2. H. I. Cohen, Mons Mahlum.
3. A. O. Peterson, R. J. Hartley.
4. D. E. Whitney, N. H. Ingersoll.
5. W. C. Cobb.
6. J. B. Schmidt, Jay O'Brien.
7. Dr. C. G. Nordin, Dr. Joseph Nicholson.
8. Richard Isle.
9. L. Knudsen, C. J. Duffey.
10. H. L. Jones.
11. C. D. Johnson, Wm. Wood.
12. P. W. Donovan, F. A. Farrar.
13. J. W. Koop, G. P. Sheridan.
14. G. H. Warner, Lowry Smith.
15. W. A. Barrows, Jr., C. Zapffe.
16. W. F. Wieland, Dr. K. H. Hoorn.
17. F. E. Stout, Clyde E. Parker.
18. Edw. Crust, D. K. Fullerton.
19. Erick Kronberg, J. F. Casey.
20. A. G. Trommald, S. R. Adair.
21. F. A. Glass, D. C. Peacock.
22. Ed. Levant.
23. S. F. Alderman, W. A. Johnston.
24. A. A. Gieriet.
25. G. D. LaBar, J. M. Elder.
26. W. D. McKay, J. P. Anderson.
27. E. Shipp, H. W. Linnemann.
28. Wm. Nelson, F. H. Gruen-hagen.
29. Dr. W. Courtney, John Carlson.
30. R. A. Henning.
31. A. L. Victor.
32. H. F. Michael.
33. P. B. Nettleton, George Gardner.
34. E. C. Bane.

James M. Elder's office will be used as headquarters on Wednesday. It has been arranged to have the

whistle blow every time ten memberships are secured by any team.

The first member secured was that of R. S. Ahren by R. R. Wise, and the latter got busy while Mr. Irving spoke at the Monday noon luncheon in the Commercial club rooms.

Team No. 2, composed of Henry I. Cohen and Mons Mahlum, induced A. A. White of St. Paul, to join. Mr. White is a former resident of Brainerd and has large realty interests in this city.

At 9 o'clock this morning Mr. Irving delivered an address to the pupils of the high school. Accompanying him to the school was a delegation of citizens including R. R. Wise, president of the school board, Mons Mahlum, D. A. Haggard, R. J. Hartley, John Bye, A. A. White, Henry I. Cohen, A. J. Gafke, Carl Zapffe, Rev. G. P. Sheridan, C. D. Johnson and J. H. Koop.

R. R. Wise introduced Mr. Irving in appropriate language.

Mr. Irving said he would deal with words in the superlative degree. He said Brainerd was the best town in Minnesota, and the applause from the pupils was something terrific.

"That is just a method of mine for testing your town spirit," said Mr. Irving, as the applause subsided.

"I was born in a small town in Illinois, having a population of about 500, and if I had my choice again for a birthplace I would wish nothing better than to be born in—

"Brainerd," suggested Mr. Wise. "You have the best country centuries have seen," said Mr. Irving, addressing the scholars. "To be an American is now a prouder boast than the old assertion, 'I am a Roman.'"

"The stars and stripes are honored all around the globe and America is one of the foremost countries of the world. We are living in the best age of all the years." The speaker referred to the great inventions and achievements distinguishing the present period from all others, to wireless telegraphy, the Panama canal, airships, discovery of the North pole and others.

"This age demands larger things. You must prepare yourselves for greater duties. 'I came here to get acquainted with the best bunch in town,' said Mr. Irving confidentially. 'The school is the power house of the city of Brainerd. Its potentialities for influence touching the commonwealth, the nation and the world are wonderful. That's why I came up here to get acquainted.

"To succeed, link your destiny with successful men. The greatest aggregate of wealth in the world, that of the Rothschild family, has for its keystone absolute integrity. They fulfilled all contracts made and never tried to avoid carrying out their obligations when a bad bargain had been made."

The speaker praised the work of chamber of commerce and recommended membership in the same. He spoke in favor of high school education and a college course. The boy or girl so equipped had over 630 times greater opportunities for success than the person without that education.

The easy in life was generally valueless. Two maxims of Bishop Vincent's early life were play ball and use a tooth brush. Both gave vitality. Washington and Lincoln excelled in wrestling. Grover Cleveland's office hours were from 9 in the morning to 2 o'clock next morning.

The speaker gave these examples to show that in the last analysis it was vitality that won. He pleaded for the abolition of all pernicious habits. The school was the most sacred place outside of the home."

## CITY DAIRIES GIVEN INSPECTION

Scores Made Computed by the State Dairy and Food Department—Explanations Given

### IMPROVEMENTS BEING MADE

Several Herds Tuberculin Tested—Creamery Comes in For Especial Praise

The Dispatch has received from Joel G. Winkler, commissioner of the state dairy and food department, the scores of the dairies supplying milk in Brainerd, together with the inspector's report.

Commissioner Winkler, in a short statement made, says:

"The milk for city consumption is one of the most, if not the most, important food supply we have, and it is encouraging to see that some of the larger cities are interesting themselves in the improvement of this food; some have engaged a special man to look after the milk supply; others have made it the duty of one who also looks after sanitary conditions. There are only four dairy inspectors in the state dairy and food commission, and with this number it is impossible to reach all the city dairies in the state. The best we can do is to cooperate with the health officers of the civic organizations of the various municipalities.

"It is with much satisfaction that we find the people of Brainerd interested and putting forth efforts toward improving the milk supply. We feel the results of our efforts are multiplied many times when such conditions exist.

"The plan of publishing scores of the dairies has been tried out in a few instances and it has met with gratifying results; the dairymen can make comparisons and a desire to improve always follows. Then, again it gives opportunity for the dairyman who has the improved conditions to be rewarded for his painstaking efforts. A consumer can rightfully demand sanitary milk, but it must be remembered that each addition of expense and trouble costs money and the producer should receive just compensation.

"Herewith is submitted the scores of the dairies and comments from Mr. F. O. Johnson, state inspector:

| Name              | Score |
|-------------------|-------|
| F. C. Reese       | 53.50 |
| E. R. Murphy      | 51.50 |
| P. M. Zakariassen | 79.00 |
| H. T. Baldwin     | 82.50 |
| J. M. Elder       | 91.50 |
| F. H. Gruenhagen  | 92.00 |
| J. M. Hayes       | 65.50 |
| Frank Fredstrom   | 73.00 |
| Ernest Hele       | 81.00 |
| Hans Bush         | 70.75 |
| N. Niska          | 58.50 |
| Andrew Ericson    | 88.50 |
| G. T. Baker       | 88.75 |
| Sam Allston       | 70.75 |

May 5th, 1914.

Joel G. Winkler,  
Dairy & Food Commissioner,  
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir:—

I submit herewith the scores of the dairies at Brainerd, Minn. You will notice by the score that there are some good dairies doing business in this city. In all cases did I find willingness to improve methods so as to produce better milk. One dairyman, whose score is low because of poor floor, lack of ventilation and poor light in the barn, is going to make improvements. This man, though he works all day in the shops, gets up at five o'clock every morning and brushes and cleans his cows, so that they are in pretty good condition for the kind of barn he has.

Some of these dairymen are renters on farms, where they have not succeeded in getting the improvements they wanted. One of these renters has, of his own accord, added several windows to his barn; also to the milk house, where he had to tear down stone walls in order to make room for windows. In two instances the scores are fairly high, though equipment is somewhat lacking, because of strict sanitary methods, the dairy utensils being scrupulously clean. I heard complaint about one dairy, to the effect that milk would sour over night. In this case, the bottles were not scalded with boiling water, no steam being available; for this a remedy was promised.

Four dairies have good barns, with a modern system of ventilation, so that the air can be kept dry and free from bad odors. One dairy has as neat a milk house and complete equipment of machinery as one could wish for. Three herds are tuberculin tested, and in a fourth the cows have been bought subject to the tuberculin test. One of the creameries in town pasteurizes, in sealed bottles, all the milk and cream which they retail, thus guarding against the possible spread of disease.

Yours truly,  
(Signed) F. O. JOHNSON,  
Inspector

### IN DISTRICT COURT

Twenty-four Indictments Returned by the Grand Jury, of Which Some are Made Public

In district court the civil case of Eastling vs the Virginia Ore Mining Co. was concluded Monday, the motion of the defendant for a dismissal being granted on the ground that the plaintiff had failed to establish a cause for action.

The grand jury reported 24 indictments, and some of these have been made public.

Con Allen, charged with giving a check upon a bank without funds, was arraigned, the reading of the indictment waived. Attorney W. H. Crowell appeared for Allen.

Bert Crocker, arraigned on charges of grand larceny in the first and second degrees, waived the reading of the indictment. Crocker was represented by Attorney M. E. Ryan.

Eli Marian, arraigned as Elias Marian, charged with carnal knowledge of a child, was represented by Attorneys W. H. Crowell and C. A. Russell.

Lester Robinson and Clarence Rice of Deerwood, were arraigned on the charge of carnal knowledge of a child.

Mike Mousuist was arraigned on two charges of selling liquor without a license.

John Clown was arraigned on two charges of selling liquor without a license.

Mary Kalan was arraigned on two charges of selling liquor without a license.

Louis Kalan was arraigned on the charge of selling liquor without a license.

Harry Reineohl, arraigned on a charge of carnal knowledge, waived the reading of the indictment. He was represented by Attorneys C. A. Russell and W. H. Crowell. Bail fixed at \$2,000.

Lester Robinson indictment was changed to Leslie Robinson in further proceedings. Messrs. Crowell and Russell appeared for him. Robinson pleaded not guilty, bail fixed at \$1,000.

Clarence Rice was represented by Attorney M. E. Ryan. He pleaded not guilty. Bail was fixed at \$1,000.

Mike Mousuist was arraigned and it was found that his true name was Marinch. He claimed to be unable to engage counsel and the court appointed W. F. Wieland to defend him. Upon examination it was found that John Clown, when arraigned, should be properly named John Klow and his name was changed accordingly in further proceedings. W. F. Wieland appeared as counsel for the defendant. He pleaded not guilty and was released on depositing \$100 cash bail. Mr. Wieland also appeared as counsel for Louis Kalan and Mary Kalan.

Louis Kalan pleaded guilty to selling intoxicating liquor without a license and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and costs and 40 days in jail, and in default of payment of fine an additional 30 days in jail. It was provided that the execution of the jail sentence be suspended until the first day of the November 1914 term of court and in the meantime Kalan be required to report to the sheriff of this county on the first day of June, 1914 and on the first day of each month thereafter.

Mary Kalan entered a plea of guilty. She was examined by the court as to the circumstances of the crime charged, that of selling intoxicating liquor without a license, and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and costs and 40 days jail, provided further that upon the payment of the costs the execution of the sentence as to the fine and jail sentence imposed, is hereby suspended until the first day of the next general term of the court in November, 1914. Costs amounting to \$5.47 were paid.

Carlton D. W. Smith, charged with carnal knowledge, pleaded not guilty. Bonds were fixed at \$1,000.

The civil case of G. L. Panker vs F. G. Schrader is on trial this afternoon, the plaintiff suing for commissions on alleged land deals.

# MICHAEL'S REORGANIZATION SALE

You'll remember the old "saying" that "the time to buy is when the other fellow wants to sell." Our announcement of our Reorganization sale will be made in a few days and in that announcement we will tell why we want to sell and the prices will show why you should buy. As announced last night this sale will be the biggest sale we have ever put on and you should watch for the detailed announcement.



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The hundredth annual 17th of May celebration given by the Norwegian churches and the Sons of Norway will be held at the Citizens State bank hall on Saturday evening, May 16. This program will be given:

Music .....Crescent Orchestra  
Solo .....John Bye  
Song .....Male Chorus  
Crescent Solo .....Christ Elvig  
Recitation.....Miss Christine Olson  
Song.....Grand Chorus  
Piano solo.....Miss Ida Peterson  
Anitra's Dance from Peer Gynt Suite by Ed. Grieg

Speech .....Rev. M. L. Hostager  
Song .....Grand Chorus  
Song .....Male Chorus  
Music .....Crescent Orchestra

The admission fee is 25c and 15c. Every Norwegian man, woman and child is asked to take part in this celebration. All are asked to get their tickets and come early before standing room is at a premium.

### At the Columbia

Petrosino scored a real success at the Columbia last night. The story is a true one and proves doubly interesting to those who know it as such. Your last opportunity to see this play will be tonight. Two other pictures are given in addition to the above feature. The management has booked an especially strong program for tomorrow and Thursday including "The Tie That Binds." This remarkable story appeared in the leading newspapers of the world and will surely please all our patrons.

Let us estimate your sewer, plumbing, heating, etc. D. M. Clark & Co.—Advt. 268tf

### Check Your April Cough

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REVIVAL MEETINGS AT TABERNACLE

As Reported by the Press Committee, Rev. W. J. Lowrie, Chairman

SYNOPSIS OF LOWRY'S SERMON

Last Night's Theme Was "The Gospel Side of the Amusement Question or the Devil's Bid for Man"

Converts previously reported... 767 Converts last night... 42 Total... 809

There was a slight falling off in attendance last night due to the stormy, snowy day but no diminution in the interest. People listened with rapt attention to the words of the evangelist as he dwelt upon the short duration of the pleasures of sin. The saw dust trail is becoming popular. People are beginning to look beyond the end of the trail to those things that lie yet beyond.

There are restless spirits in Brainerd today that yesterday were as complacent as the quiet lake in the moon beams. Decisions are being made that mean an entire change of life. It is not right oblique! nor "To the rear, march!" but it is "columb right, forward, march!" Such a change from "marking time" requires courage.

After the sermon when the invitation was given forty-two responded. Many of them were cheered as they took their stand. They needed the cheers of the people for their decision involved a conflict.

This evening the subject will be "The Judgment Day." Wednesday evening "How the Excuses of Man Condemn God." The Bible study for the afternoon meetings will be on subjects of special interest.

Today was the day of fasting and prayer. The day began with a morning prayer meeting at the tabernacle in charge of Mr. Frank Heber. Cottage prayer meetings were held in the different homes from nine to ten. From ten to one o'clock services of prayer and praise were held in the Methodist and Presbyterian churches.

It was a new day in the calendar. It brought many blessings to many. The Christian people of town are beginning to make history. Prayer meetings are beginning to be prayer meetings. A day of fasting carried on in the right attitude will help to make further religious history.

The sermon last evening was on the subject, "The Gospel of the Amusement Question or the Devil's Bid for Man." The text was from Hebrews 11:24-26: "By faith Moses when he was come to years, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season." The evangelist said:

The devil made a strong bid for Moses. Moses, however, esteemed the reproaches of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt.

His decision to sacrifice the wealth and allurements of Egypt involved the sacrifice of his position. He had the distinction of being the son of Pharaoh's daughter. She had adopted him and made him as her own son. The people of God were a poor, despised slave class yet he threw aside his princely honors and cast in his lot with them.

Men about him would say, "Well, who is this man Moses, anyway? He is certainly the biggest fool in Egypt. Think of him giving up luxury and position to side with slaves."

Moses was wiser than his critics. He would rather tend sheep for the Lord on the plains of Midian than to rule the world for the devil. He determined that his life would be governed by principle not impulse.

Boys and girls go astray because they have no serious rule of life. I admire the young person who determines to be somebody. The young lady who wants to be a belle and have two or three fops on the string must remember that the requirements for a belle are only a tongue and a little brass. It takes serious purpose to be a lady. A young person with average intelligence can be anything he wants to be. He can make a success in any line if he goes at it with serious thought.

There are a lot of people who are carried away with the opinion of those who are higher up. God will bring down a king as quickly as he will a slave. He will condemn a prince as speedily as a hobo. There is only one door to the kingdom of heaven, that of Jesus Christ. There is no special way provided for anyone. Rich man, poor man, beggar man, thief must all go the same way or else not at all. If any man makes what God wants him to be he will stand almost alone.

Moses sacrificed the pleasures of sin in order to be with the people of God. Had he stayed with the Egyptians it would have been sin for him. His place was elsewhere. His place was to be a poor man not a rich man. His part was to travel through a wilderness not to sit upon the ivory throne of a Pharaoh.

Sinful people get a certain pleasure out of their sin but it is only for a season. It soon turns on them and mocks them. There are two ways of overcoming temptation. One is by resistance the other is by setting up a counter attraction. The last is the best. Orpheus on board with his music saved Ulysses from the entrancing music of the sirens.

When a person is drawn away from

his religion by the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eye or the pride of life it is a sure indication that he does not have Christ in him. He may go through the forms of religion but there is no life in him. He sees things from the standpoint of the devil not from the standpoint of Christ.

There are no worldly Christians under the canopy of heaven. There are worldly church members but no worldly Christians. Worldly church members have their eyes blinded. They see through a glass darkly. They look at things from the angle of their own worldliness, and the pleasures of sin look good to them, better, far better than the reproaches of Christ.

Moses sacrificed the treasures of Egypt. He gained far more than earthly treasures. He gained identity with the children of God. What he lost was not to be compared to what he gained. What he gave up was nothing to what he received.

He gained favor with God. He gained eternal life. As Moses looks upon us from the advantage point of three thousand years, he knows that he chose wisely and well.

Everybody must make his choice. It is either the pleasures of sin or the yoke of Christ. Sin will last in its pleasing aspect but a short season. It is soon over then comes a long regret. The work that Christ puts upon us is for a season but the blessing is eternal.

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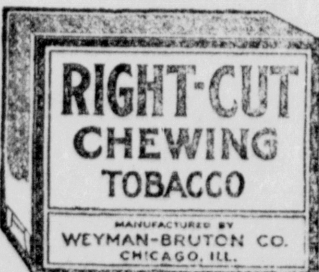
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